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Human Melanocyte Stimulating

Hormone Receptor Polypeptide and DNA (as amended)

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Applicants request that a new disk file be opened for the above-cited application.

The Sequence Listing disk submitted on **September 29, 1995** in the parent, Application No. **08/387,805**, contains the identical sequence information as that in the present

application.

Applicants also submit herewith a paper copy of the Sequence Listing for the present application. The paper copy of the Sequence Listing and the computer readable copy are the same and do not introduce new matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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